Abstract:

(in conjunction with Figure 2)

Continuous washing machines (10) for industrial use have an inner drum (11), which can be driven in circulation, and an outer drum (22) which partially encloses said inner drum. The outer drum (22) is formed from outer-drum sections (24) which are to sealed in relation to the inner drum (11). The known continuous washing machines (10) are sealed by seals which involve comparatively high outlay and are difficult to adjust.

The invention makes provision for the end sides (25) of the cylindrically designed outer-drum sections (24) to be assigned seals (33, 34) which are fastened on the outside of end regions of the casing of the outer-drum sections (24) by tension straps (45). As a result, the outer-drum sections (24) need not be of specific configuration in the end regions. The seals (33, 34) can be adjusted simply by being displaced on the cylindrical end regions of the outer-drum sections (24).